

Senate Resolution 1120

By: Senator Heath of the 31st

#### A RESOLUTION

1 Commending and recognizing Dianne Guy; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy is currently serving as Director for the Polk County Department  
3 of Children Services and is retiring after 31 years of dedicated and faithful service to the  
4 State of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy began contributing to the social service needs of Polk County in  
6 1971 as a social worker on the staff of Murphy-Harpst Children's home, formerly known as  
7 Ethel Harpst Home for Children and Youth; and

8 WHEREAS, in 1975 she began her career with the State of Georgia as a Child Protection  
9 Service worker with the Polk County Department of Family and Children Services; and

10 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy was then promoted to her current position as Director of the Polk  
11 County Department of Family and Children Services; and

12 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy attended Winthrop College, earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in  
13 sociology, and she later attended West Georgia University where she earned a Master of  
14 Public Administration degree; and

15 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy is a member of Pi Alpha Alpha, the national honor society for  
16 Public Affairs and Administration, and Pi Sigma Alpha, the national Political Science honor  
17 society; and

18 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy serves and has served on numerous committees at the local,  
19 district, and state levels and has completed the Leadership Excellence Program developed  
20 by the Georgia Department of Human Resources; and

1 WHEREAS, Dianne Guy grew up in Chester, South Carolina where her mother, Madeline  
2 Morrow, taught Dianne about hard work and responsibility by serving as an excellent  
3 example of these traits; and

4 WHEREAS, Dianne was often reminded that she could accomplish anything if she tried and  
5 has certainly proven this maxim by her many accomplishments; and

6 WHEREAS, Ms. Guy is an extremely gifted pianist and singer, and many have enjoyed her  
7 talents in the community through her church, community, and other civic organizations; and

8 WHEREAS, Dianne has served as pianist for the Cedartown Little Theater, is a former  
9 member of the Rome Chorus, and is currently a member of the Rockmart Chorus; and

10 WHEREAS, it is only proper and fitting that this talented, dedicated, and extraordinary  
11 individual should be recognized before this body.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
13 commend and recognize Dianne Guy for her outstanding leadership and contributions to Polk  
14 County and the State of Georgia.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
16 to transmit copies of this resolution to Ms. Dianne Guy.